

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of
ARNOLD, James E.

Serial No. 09/505,803 ✓

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For: METHOD FOR FORMING METAL:
PARTS HAVING SUPERIOR
SURFACE CHARACTERISTICS

Group Art Unit - 3726

Examiner: COMPTON, E

Docket No. RAG-021400

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Amendment After Final

S I R:

In Response to the Final Office Action dated December 1, 2001, applicant amends

his application as follows:

In the Claims:

Attached hereto is a clear version of the claims remaining in the present application.

Cancel claim 1-12, 14-16 and 24 without prejudice or admission. Kindly amend claims

17 and 26 by rewriting them in amended form as follows:

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